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Mr. Victor Riesel  
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295 Madison Avenue  
New York 17, New York

Dear Mr. Riesel:

I very much regret that it will not be possible for us to mail to you in New York the daily copy of the [ ] for which you have asked. We are continuing to send it to you in care of INS in Washington, and I am afraid this is the best we can do.

We have had a very great many requests similar to yours, and if we were to act on them all we should quickly find that we had undertaken a publishing and distributing chore of magnitude far greater than our means. We recognize that it is in the national interest for some of our reports to go to responsible newspaper men and women.

[ ] and it is for that reason that we have sent them to a small mailing list in Washington. But we cannot afford to extend this list to other cities, and are therefore obliged to say "No" to all requests that we do so.

I hope I may count on your understanding of the problem which we face.

Sincerely,

Signed

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